

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Laus, *et al.*

APPLICATION No.: 09/461,684

FILED: December 14, 1999

FOR: **COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR
ENHANCEMENT OF MAJOR
HISTOCOMPATIBILITY COMPLEX CLASS I
RESTRICTED ANTIGEN PRESENTATION**

EXAMINER: DiBrino, Marianne

ART UNIT: 1644

CONF. NO: 4142

Petition Withdrawal from Issue under 37 CFR 1.313(a)

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Sir:

Applicants request that the Office withdraw the application from issue under 37 CFR 1.313(a) before payment of the issue fee. This request is directed to the Technology Center (TC) Director to which the application is assigned.

The Director is authorized to charge the fee of \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(h) to Deposit Account No. 50-2207, under Order No. 57636-8020.US00. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to Deposit Account No. 50-2207, under Order No. 57636-8020.US00.